

GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH
ABSTRACT

A.P. Entertainment Tax, 1939 – Exemption of Telugu Children's feature film "DURGI" from the payment of Entertainment Tax – Orders – Issued.

REVENUE (CT.IV) DEPARTMENT

G.O.Rt.No. 585

Dated. 13.4.2009.

Read the following:-

- 1) Representation from Sri Chakra Movies Makers, dt. Nil.
- 2) Govt. Memo No. 7484/CT.IV/2009-1, dt. 18.2.2009.
- 3) From the Spl. Commissioner, I & PR Dept.,
Lr.No. 3528 / Films/2009, dt. 16.3.2009.

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ORDER:

In the reference 1st read above Sri Ch.V.S.N. Babji & T. Balachandra Reddy Producers of the Sri Chakra Movies Makers has requested the Government for grant of exemption to the Telugu Children's feature film "DURGI" from the payment of Entertainment Tax.

2. In the Memo 2nd read above, the Commissioner, I & P.R has been requested to get the film screened before the committee constituted for the purpose and furnish the recommendations of the committee.

3. In his letter 3rd read above the Special Commissioner of Information & Public Relation has reported that the Committee have witnessed the film and the members of the committee have opined that the Telugu Children feature Film "DURGI" is a message oriented from highlighting the social evils taking place in the society and recommended for the exemption of entertainment tax.

4. Government after careful consideration of the report of the Committee in exercise of powers conferred under Section.8 of A.P.E.T. Act 1939 hereby exempt the Telugu Children's feature film "DURGI" from the payment of Entertainment Tax under the said Act subject to the following conditions-

- i) that the rates of admission shall not exceed 75% (Seventy five percent) of existing notified rates of admission of each class of the theatre in which the film is proposed to be screened in Andhra Pradesh.

- ii) that the period of exemption shall be limited to one year from the date of first release of the film in Andhra Pradesh and
- iii) that the film should not be screened along with any other feature films.

5. This order issues with the concurrence of Finance Department vide their U.O.No.10539/138/A2/Exp.Rev./09, Dated.7.04.2009.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

G. SUDHIR
PRINCIPAL SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT

To

The Commissioner of Commercial Taxes, Hyderabad.

Copy to:-

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The Commissioner, Information & Public Relation Department.

The Managing Director, APSFTVTDC, FDC Complex,
A.C Guards, Hyderabad.

The Home (Gen.A) Department.

The General Administration (V&E)Department.

The Accountant General, A.P.Hyderabad.

The Finance (Expr.Rev.)Department.

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// FORWARDED BY ORDER //

SECTION OFFICER